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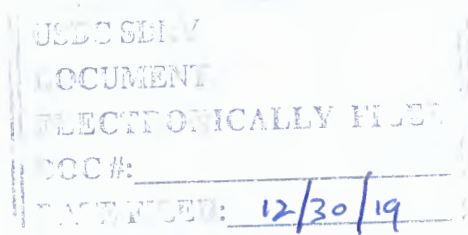
The Honorable Colleen McMahon  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

**RE: United States v. Anthony Cary**  
**08 Cr. 269 (CM)**

Dear Judge McMahon:

I write to respectfully request that the Court permit Mr. Anthony Cary to travel with his spouse, Nona Bishop, on a four day cruise. Mr. Cary's wife surprised him with a Carnival cruise for the holidays on Christmas day. Mr. Cary has been under the Court's supervision for over three years. He has previously travelled domestically without issue with the permission of the Probation Department. He now seeks permission to participate in a 4 day cruise, from Monday, December 30 to Friday, January 30, 2020. Exhibit A. This cruise will include travel to Miami, FL, Key West, FL, and Cozumel, Mexico. Had Mr. Cary been aware of his wife's plan to surprise him with a cruise, he would have requested permission in advance. Mr. Cary's probation officer, Vondra Jackson, has already approved his travel to Miami, FL. However, because the travel involves an international stop and travel on international waters, his probation officer is not authorized to give permission at this time for the remainder of the cruise without the Court's approval. Ms. Jackson does not, however, object to Mr. Cary going on the cruise as scheduled.


Thank you for your consideration of this request.



Respectfully submitted,

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SO ORDERED:

  
HONORABLE COLLEEN MCMAHON  
United States District Judge

cc: Probation Officer Zondra Jackson (by Email)